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Agenda **Education Committee Meeting** March 19, 2009, 9:00 a.m.

Topics and Information Provided:

- 1. Call to Order, Introductions and Adoption of a Flexible Agenda
- 2. Programs of Nursing

Site Visit Reports:

- a) Associate Degree Programs
 - Bluegrass Community & Technical College- Danville Visit following first graduating class
 - Campbellsville University, Campbellsville Visit following first graduating class

Response to Reports:

- a) Associate Degree Programs
 - Jefferson Community & Technical College, Louisville
 - Spencerian College, Louisville
- b) Practical Nursing Programs
 - Ashland Community & Technical College, Ashland
 - Elizabethtown Community & Technical College, Elizabethtown

New Program Applications/Proposals:

- a) Baccalaureate Degree Programs
 - Lindsey Wilson College, Columbia
- b) Associate Degree Programs
 - Daymar College, Owensboro

Curriculum Changes:

- a) Associate Degree Programs
 - Galen College of Nursing, Louisville
 - Jefferson Community & Technical College, Louisville
- 3. New Business:
 - a. Letter to Show Cause for programs with <85% for three consecutive years
 - b. Comprehensive Testing Being Used as a Gradation Requirement in Programs of Nursing
- 4. Other (informational)
 - a. Despite Surge of Interest in Nursing Careers, New AACN Data Confirm that Too Few Nurses Are Entering the Healthcare Workforce, AACN Release, February 26, 2009
 - b. Nurse Education Up For Change, ANA News, Feb. 12, 2009
 - c. Workforce Analysis for Nursing Across Kentucky
- 5. Adjournment

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